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**DIAGNOSTIC AND THERAPEUTIC MEANS FOR KIDNEY STONE RELATED
PATHOLOGIES**

ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION

A description is given of a nucleic acid comprising at least one fragment of the human gene *ZNF365* or functional portions thereof for use in the diagnosis or treatment of pathologies associated with kidney stones. Appropriate diagnostic kits are also described.